

SCOUTS ACTIVE FOLLOWING HOLIDAY

New Recruits being taken into Local Scout Troop this week.

Basasso Boy Scouts began their fall term with their usual routine of physical training and equal drill last Thursday night in the L.O.O.F. hall. After holidaying from scouting since the Bank excursion, the boys seemed very pleased to renew their studies in practical craft work. The boys also received valuable instruction in cadet work, that has led the Corps to three consecutive awards.

D. MacLean has been given the position of Secretary-Treasurer, in which capacity he will act for the ensuing term.

The population of the Troop has never varied a great deal from the 25 mark. The many vacancies left by families moving away have been filled by demerit residents and boys who have just reached Scout age. Each year the Troop accepts boys. Tonight is the final night that any boy may join until next September, unless, in the case of a new boy moving into town.

Bill Plummer was raised to the position of Patrol Leader of the Beavers.

The new recruits include: W. Phillips, B. Riley, J. Fraser, J. Hall, W. Dabell, G. Peterson, L. Marquis and M. Massey.

With two of last year's officers residing in Calgary, and one having reached the age limit, a complete new slate of officers will appear in the 1930 inspection. D. MacLean and D. Broadfoot will probably hold the sergeant's and captain's positions.

The meeting was concluded in customary MacLean style, giving the Scouts a treat.

All Scouts are requested to attend in uniform, as tonight is initiation night.

Firemen To Sponsor Dance For Red Cross

To Announce Date in the Near Future.

L. Simons, Fire Chief, announced at the Red Cross meeting held in the L.O.O.F. Hall on Monday evening of this week, that the Firemen were planning on sponsoring a dance, in aid of Red Cross, during the latter part of October. The date of the affair will be made public as soon as arrangements are completed.

Support is solicited from all citizens of the district, and watch for an announcement of the date.

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MRS. JAS. JOHNSTON PRES. RED CROSS

Officers and Committees Appointed at well attended meeting.

An organization meeting of the Basasso Red Cross Branch took place Monday evening, September 23rd, in the L.O.O.F. Hall, when Mrs. J. Johnston was elected president, and Mr. M. L. Skerrett Secretary-Treasurer of the organization.

Approximately sixty people were gathered for the sole purpose of electing the national committee. Immediate steps were taken to raise funds to carry out Red Cross work.

Membership fees were set at one dollar per adult person and 25 cents per child, for each year.

The meeting was opened by Chairman Wm. McLean, who briefly outlined the aims and purposes of the Society. The Basasso Branch, doing much valuable work in the previous days of 1918-19, and if the untimely death of Mrs. Johnston is a reflection on the future, it is a reflection on the future of the Society.

At the opening of the election of officers, Mrs. Johnston was elected president, and Mr. M. L. Skerrett Secretary-Treasurer.

The executive committee of four Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Harper, Mr. H. Jones, and Mr. M. Skerrett, combined with the president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer to form the governing body. Committee chairman were appointed to assist with the work.

The various committees formed include: Finance, A. McKee, Chairman; Entertainment, J. McKee, Chairman; and Soldiers' Service, P. G. Cary, Chairman.

As one of the largest problems the branch will have to face will be that of finance, war and peace were discussed. When at this early date much has been done in building up the fund to carry out work.

Money was. The local firemen are sponsoring a dance in October, proceeds to go to Red Cross. Most of the local organizations will be contacted to provide financial assistance. Membership fees should also bolster the financial state. Anyone is eligible to join, young or old, and all those interested should make an effort to attend the next meeting. As yet, no date has been set for the next meeting, but it will probably be made in the near future.

THE Local Girl Union Organization ask citizens of the town and district to acquire a taste for pop corn, as it is their intention to set up a small stand at the local theatre, and sell in parlours every Friday and Saturday evening, proceeds from the sale will be turned over to the local Red Cross Branch, and your patronage would be appreciated.

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Gem Notes

Mr. Miller is a patient in the Basasso Hospital, who has been here for some time, and is expected to recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryan have returned to their home in Gem after spending a week there, and are expected to return to the town in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence of Hussar, who were dining at the Vist Hotel, were guests at the local Red Cross meeting.

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GEM LADIES' CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Gem Ladies' Club was held at the home of Mrs. Heryford on Wednesday, September 18th. New officers were elected for the coming term as follows:

Vice-President—Mrs. Heryford.
Treasurer—Mrs. Ryan.
Secretary—Mrs. Hyatt.

The office of President was left vacant, due to the resignation of Mrs. Brown, but will be filled at a future meeting.

TO ASSIST RED CROSS

During the business portion of the meeting, the Ladies' Club decided to devote some of their time and effort to assisting with Red Cross work, and a cheque for the sum of ten dollars was sent to the Calgary branch of the Society.

A change was made in the meeting date of the Club. In future, meetings will be held on the first Wednesday of each month, instead of the second, as in the past.

The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Johnson, on Wednesday, October 2nd, 1929.

E. DOWNS OPERATING C.P.R. COAL CHUTE

Mr. E. J. Downs of Basasso is replacing Mr. C. Lewis as operator at the local C.P.R. Coal Chute.

Mr. Lewis, whose duties at the chute ended on Wednesday of last week, has sailed with the active service of the Canadian Army, and at present is stationed with the R.C.A. Engineers.

Mr. Lewis is a veteran of the world war having served with the Machine Gun Corps from 1915 to 1918.

WEDDINGS

FORMER LOCAL COUPLE WED IN CALGARY

GATFORD - PRAGNELL

Dorothy Irene, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pragnell of Basasso, was married to Mr. G. H. Gifford, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gifford, at a quiet ceremony solemnized in St. John's Anglican church, on Saturday, September 14th. The bridegroom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pragnell of Basasso, and Mr. G. H. Gifford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gifford of Basasso.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gifford, where Mr. and Mrs. Gifford will make their home in Calgary.

SPORT FLASHES

The machine of the Calgary Red Raiders Football Club has finally got under way. Displaying a most attack under Mervin Floodlight the Houghton team literally walked over the Raiders in the match of 24-0.

These two boys were the first to call from the district, Jack having signed up in the army the following day. The declaration of war was both a surprise and a disappointment to the boys.

Attending the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gifford, where Mr. and Mrs. Gifford will make their home in Calgary.

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REGULAR MEETING BOARD OF TRADE

Quiet Meeting held on Wednesday of this week.

The regular meeting of the Board of Trade was held in the Royal Cafe on Wednesday afternoon of this week, at 1 p.m. Sixteen members were present. President Wm. McLean occupied the chair.

The meeting being held in the busy season of the year, there was very little business brought before the members.

The chairman, reporting on behalf of the executive committee, gave a brief report of operations during the past two weeks.

He informed the Board of the formation of a local branch of the Red Cross Society, the meeting being held on Monday evening in the L.O.O.F. Hall. Further information on the Refrigeration Truck Scheme, was not available at the time of the meeting.

The condition of the scales at the local stockyards was brought to the attention of the Board. The scales, property of the organization, will not function properly, due to the lack of timber supports. The executive were instructed to investigate and remedy the situation.

Several letters from the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, dealing with matters of interest, to the Board were ordered filed.

Officers of the various committees reported little activity during the past two weeks.

Following short discussions on matters of interest, the meeting adjourned at approximately 2:15 p.m.

Inquest To Be Held Here Tonight

Inquest into the death of Nick Brooks, who was killed at a railway crossing one mile east of Basasso, Tuesday, September 18th, will be held at the C.M.P. building, at 8 p.m.

Coroner Dr. A. G. Root, will be in charge of the investigation. Jurors will be W. L. Tassie, H. L. Dwyer, C. Johnston, G. Smith, A. Bowman, and D. Broadfoot, all of whom were sworn in as jurors yesterday.

The body of the deceased was not recovered.

E.I.D. NOTES

During the past few weeks a number of agreements for sale, under which the water, were brought to our notice. We again particularly wish to emphasize the provisions of the act under which the Eastern Irrigation District was incorporated, relating to the matter, which is that no sale or transfer of an interest held by any person in land within the district can be made, unless same is approved by the Irrigation Council.

Such approval will not be given by the Irrigation Council unless it is satisfied that the new purchaser is competent and capable of farming land in the district and that consideration for sale is not excessive.

We would urge you, therefore, to make arrangements in the office of the district before completing any documents. Such action on your part will tend to avoid confusion at some future date, and the possible loss of money.

Bought Your Radio License?

Announcements were made this week by the Canadian Radio Corporation that a check-up on private receiving stations was in progress. All persons found to be operating receivers without the necessary license, are liable to prosecution, according to law.

Last year many negligent persons were fined for such charges. To avoid this, all local licensees are urged to procure their licenses in advance of the coming year.

Authorized agents of the Government are now in the district, and are taking effect on October 1st, 1929, according to information received by the Alberta Motor Association from the provincial secretary's department.

ROSEMARY NOTES

Mrs. J. Hillier returned home from the hospital after suffering with pneumonia for several weeks.

Mrs. Anderson of Calgary returned to her home Wednesday after spending a week visiting her son, Mr. John Anderson, and his family, here.

Mrs. and Mrs. Vriel Hall of Taber spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Hall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell, and family.

Virginia and Roy Tuffield had their tonsils removed at the Basasso Hospital Thursday.

The large number of friends of Mr. Amos Gilling will be pleased to learn that he has almost recovered from his very long sickness. Everyone will be glad to see him back home once more.

A shower was held Friday at the home of Mrs. Roy Norton in honor of Miss Gilling, who is leaving this month for her home near MacLeod where she will be married to Mr. Mack Ackroyd of Harty. Many useful gifts were given to the bride-elect.

Miss Betty Adams left Tuesday for Edmonton where she will register for her second year of University.

Miss Jean Eastman intends leaving Saturday for Calgary, where she will enroll at the University of Calgary.

Miss Ellen Reibitt of Turner Valley is spending a few weeks visiting her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Gilling of Calgary were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Eaton and Mrs. Jack Schmidt of Calgary were visitors here Sunday.

LATHOM NOTES

Mr. Tomkins of Calgary was a Lathom visitor this week, hunting on the Gooling range.

Miss Minnie McLean, Jack Stohls of Calgary, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Meritt spent a very enjoyable Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Barker.

Mr. H. B. Currie of Basasso was a dinner guest at the Lore home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterberg were Sunday callers at the Belmont home.

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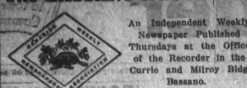
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Good Reason For Caution

EVENTS in Europe in the last month have followed each other in such rapid and bewildering order that even skilled diplomats have been at an loss to comprehend them.

While war emergencies naturally inspire a patriotic people with a desire for quick and determined action—the present situation has been such as to provide the Government of Canada with every good reason for proceeding with caution.

While there has been no delay in mobilizing for home defence and to prepare the way for accented commercial activity, there has been no action taken in providing arrangements for the training of a force for overseas service. In view of the fact that developments in the war appear to be still incomplete, this action on the part of the Government can be well understood. Should Russia and Japan, and nothing is impossible in the fantastic set-up of our unscrupulous opponents, throw their full force behind the Nazis, Canada would have ample need for her man power at home.

However, when the situation clarifies itself, there is no doubt the authorities will decide quickly whether Canada's contribution to the cause can best be directed.

In the meantime each and every one of us can best assist in the struggle by going patiently about our affairs, preparing as much as possible, in the hope that the ultimate plan will have some place for our services.

The Red Cross

WAR, however necessary, is at best a brutal proposition. It is therefore as a definitely appealing activity that the Red Cross makes its entry into the war picture. Announcement that Red Cross has swung into its blessed activity comes as a relief to the millions that for weeks have heard of little but activity of the war machine.

In Bassano, a branch of the Alberta Red Cross society was organized this week. The organization of such a branch clearly demonstrates that citizens of this particular district are willing and ready to serve in whatever capacity they possibly can.

This spirit of co-operation is being shown in all parts of the Dominion at the present time. During the Great War of twenty years ago, a similar organization functioned in Bassano with great success. Experiences of that period should contribute generously to the success of the new, or should we say re-vivified, group. Truly, the work to be undertaken in this war will differ from that of the previous one. Then, it is learned, the local group were assigned to the making of bandages for wounded soldiers. It is understood that these are now all made by machine. However, there are other necessities of the soldier to be made by hand.

At present, woollen garments are being demanded in great quantities, and groups such as the one just formed here will answer the call as speedily as possible. As the organization becomes established, an earnest plea for co-operation is extended to every citizen in the district. There is not one person, man or woman, who cannot do his part financially, or by assisting with the work, therefore excuses may only be classified as feeble. A membership drive will be in progress within the course of the next few weeks, and everyone is expected to make the first liberal contribution towards setting the organization on a sound financial basis.

As was demonstrated at the meeting, women of the district are stepping to the fore in carrying out the activities of the organization. Of the large number present, well over half were women, all willing to co-operate to the fullest extent.

HOWARD SCOTT, of Technocracy fame, has had the audacity to wire to Prime Minister King, telling him that the war in Europe was none of Canada's affair, and that Mr. King should take a firm stand to keep Canadians for war on Canadian soil only. Scott should stick to his ergs and leave Canadians to manage their own affairs.

There are at least three or four young men in the Pass who look more cheerful since the announcement that there'll be no conscription in Canada. Their period of liberation was, as a result, cut short.

—Blairmore Enterprise.

Pay As You Go

THE "Pay As You Go" Dominion War Dodge, announced a couple of weeks ago, seems to be meeting with approval everywhere, according to newspaper editorials, and reports. But then, it is not better to pay as we go, in this war, by increasing certain taxes, than to have a mountain of debt covered by bonds or some other form of security, which will have to be met sooner or later, as was the case in the last war? This decision of the Government is based on experiences gained 19 years ago, when the wrong step was taken.

Dormitories A Success

Speaking very favourably for the Dormitories set up in Bassano this term, comes word this week that the local institution is nearly filled to capacity. At the first of the school term, it was believed that there would be ample room in the building chosen to house both boys and girls. Since the term commenced, registration has increased to the point where it will be difficult to enroll further students, unless a second building is renovated to serve the purpose of an additional dormitory. Dormitory life, with its splendid opportunity for enthusiastic students, seems to be meeting with the approval of scholars throughout the district.

Volunteers

WE know a man with a wife and three children who was over to enlist almost before war was declared. His mind was all made up about the duty he owed to his country. He did not act on impulse; he carefully thought it over and came to the conclusion that his wife was competent to manage without him, on the Canadian military allowance while he was away, and on the pension if he failed to come back.

He got into uniform; and then came the Dominion Government's order—a wise one, we think—prohibiting enlistment of men with more than three dependents. He is back in civilian life now a little downcast and disappointed. The only place his country wants to put him is the one he was in before the war broke out. He is trying to reconcile himself to the fact that the government, like any other group of human beings, sometimes acts on a wise afterthought.

Then there is another volunteer—a youngster just turned eighteen, who joined up last week. He had been walking to and from the barracks, night and morning, for several days, before he faced his mother with the news that he had joined the army.

These are just two examples. Multiply them a few hundred times, and you will get an idea of what is going on all over Canada. It is a magnificent spirit—the sort of thing that makes a nation—but it throws things a little out of proportion. There must be a great number of young men in this country who are much better material for enlistment than either of these two; young men in the middle twenties, physically fit for the fighting ranks without special training for civilian war work and without domestic responsibilities. And they are the men the army will want. Recruiting of this type of young man has been good; the response has been admirable. But it seems obvious that even among this particular age-group the willing and eager are bearing the brunt. This is the sort of thing that conscription cures—the business of some going and some staying, some joining up and some waiting. But conscription must be backed by united national opinion, and perhaps opinion in Canada is not ripe for it.

Meanwhile, we recommend national registration—a national catalogue of Canadian men and women. That would give every one of them, the willing and the lethargic, the weak and the strong, the skilled and the unskilled, a better conception of where they could fit in, and where, some day, they may have to fit in.

—Calgary Herald.

The Poet's Corner

MY KINGDOM

For this is my Kingdom; my peace with my neighbor
The clasp of a hand, or the warmth of a smile,
The sweetness of toil as the fruit of my labor,
The glad joy of living and working awhile;
The birds and flowers, and the blue sky above me,
The green of the meadows, the gold of the grain;
A song in the evening, a dear heart to love me,
And just enough pleasure to balance the pain.

—W.D. Bagley

BEFORE GOD GAVE ME YOU

L. G. Aston Hill
Before God gave me you
I did not realize
How blue could be the skies.
But in two dear, dear eyes
I vision Paradise
And read life's pages anew.

Before God gave me you,
My life to crown and bless,
I yearned for Love's caress,
Amid the cares and stress,
You brought me happiness,
And Love so true—so true.

FALL CULTIVATION FOR GRASSHOPPER CONTROL

Since 1932 Alberta has been combating a grasshopper plague which appeared in 1935 on its decline. At least the forecast for 1940 indicates there will be a much lower infestation. However, it must be pointed out that if favorable climatic conditions prevail in 1940 for the development of grasshoppers there is ample incentive in certain sections to cause a serious plague.

As a result of war conditions now prevailing the supplies of products which were useful for control, and other materials, will be more difficult to obtain and the cost will be greatly increased. In view of these uncertainties, all farmers who are located in areas that have been invaded with grasshoppers during the past year are urged to undertake control measures by cultural practices this fall.

Farmers are urged to determine by examination of their grain fields, pastures, bushlands, and road allowances, if there has been any large degree of infestation—egg-laying. If eggs are found in any increased numbers, and the land is capable of being cultivated, such land should be sown to be cultivated. Light cultivation with a disc or cultivator to a depth of about 1½ to 2 inches should be performed, best in the fall, that the purpose of such cultivation is not to bury the egg pods but to bring them to the surface where they will be exposed to weathering, which will tend to destroy them during the winter months. Deep cultivation will not accomplish this, it will only tend to bury the eggs to a depth where they will be protected during the winter months, and they will emerge next year as usual. In fact, deep cultivation will resolve itself into a loss of effort and a delayed emergence of the grasshoppers, the first generation which in all probability will require special attention in case poisoning has to be done.

Farmers throughout the grasshopper infested areas who have consistently carried out shallow cultivation in the fall as a method of control, have found that the infestation has been materially reduced and in many instances has been totally removed. If these suggestions are followed out the prospect of a crop for the farmer is greatly increased.

ULTRA VIOLES

Toronto—Nearly 900 special guards keep watch against saboteurs in Ontario's hydro-electric plant, at a cost to the province of \$175,000 per day. These facts were told the opening session of the Ontario legislature last week. Conservative leader Col. George Drey charged this "private army" was unconstitutional and joined the Premier in placing responsibility with the national defence department. The special session was called to consider war time measure legislation.

NATIONAL AIRWAY

Winnipeg—R. C. A. planes have carried 12,235 paying guests during the past five months, it was reported by W. A. Straith, district traffic manager. In this same period, he added, 220 tons of mail and 16½ tons of express have been carried. The air line now operates fifteen transport planes.

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To Make Vegetable Soup

2 quarts of fish stock, 2 large carrots, 1 large turnip, 2 large onions. Outside stalks of celery, finely minced. Prepare carrots, turnip, onions, and string the outside stalk of celery. Mince all very finely with a French knife on a board. Cover with boiling water seasoned with salt and simmer until tender. Heat the soup stock, then add the vegetables together with the water in which they were cooked. It may then be thickened with flour and water stirred smooth or with cooked rice or barley.

Rice Tomato Soup With Fish Stock

1 quart of fish stock, 1 cup of tomato, 1 cup of cooked rice, 1 tablespoon of tomato catsup, or 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper.

Heat the fish stock. Add the strained tomato. Add the cup of boiled rice. Allow all to boil up together and season may be thickened if desired.

The truck driver, Mr. and Mrs. Private Driver, doesn't think much of your ability to pilot an automobile safely!

For years you've called this same truck driver a road hog or worse, and screamed that there ought to be a law to keep trucks off the road.

But times have changed. And the Alberta Safety League today announced results of studies that show the commercial vehicle driver has greatly improved his safety record in recent years, while that of the private car driver has become worse.

Since 1927 the number of trucks involved in fatal accidents has decreased 29 per cent. The number of buses involved in fatal accidents has dropped 41 per cent during the same period.

But the number of passenger cars involved in fatal accidents since 1927 has increased 21 per cent.

Is it any wonder, then, that the truck and bus driver feel they are entitled to some back a few opinions of their own at the private driver?

"There are a number of reasons why the average commercial vehicle driver is a safe driver," says James G. Hayden, commercial fleet engineer for the National Safety Council. "For one thing, the reasons listed by Mr. Hayden are:

1. The commercial driver makes his living behind the wheel. He's at it an average of eight hours a day and the very volume of his experience points him the need for safety in his driving habits.

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Ottawa—Canadian exports to United States rose from \$39,661,895 to \$41,701,142 during August, according to a report of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Exports for the first eight months of 1933 totalled \$326,466,845, an increase of more than \$123 millions over the same period of 1932.

PRAIRIE GOLD

Winnipeg—Grain is said to be pouring into blackhead faster than it can be shipped out. J. A. Braas, secretary of the Railway Association of Canada, reported the heavy movement has created serious problems in transportation. In 23 days, railways to prairie elevators were loading 745,000 bushels, more than double the figures for 1928 or 1929.

FINANCIAL RETURNS

Ottawa—Some means would be found, "whereby Canadian dollars may be made available to the British government to purchase needed supplies in this country," declared Hon. Ian Mackenzie in a recent statement.

Reparation of Canadian securities and granting of credits were mentioned in probable methods. Bureau of Statistics estimates British investments in Canada at nearly \$2,700,000, about half of which is in bonds and debentures.

CANADIAN SHEEP WANTED

Ottawa—D. C. Dick, recently appointed Canadian wool administrator at a salary of \$1 per year has announced that arrangements for the purchase of three-quarters of a million pounds of wool would be released for export from the United Kingdom to this country. Mr. Dick gave assurance that "the wool would be used solely for military purposes."

NATIONALIZATION

Montreal—Resolution suggesting that the armament industry in Canada be placed under full government control was adopted recently by the All-Canadian Congress of Labor. The resolution said it was not in the best interests of the country to leave the industry "in the hands of unpatriotic self-seekers."

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Interesting Items

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Friends of Lowell Hambrook, formerly of Bassano late of Drumheller, will be interested to know he is now Staff Sergeant in the R.C.O.C. stationed in Calgary.

Mr. Weir and Mr. York of Creston, B.C., passed through town on Sunday evening en route to Vancouver. While here, they visited at the home of Mrs. S. Lemard.

Miss Dorothy Lewis spent the week-end visiting in Calgary.

Mr. Summerbell of Brooks is visiting at the home of his son, J. T. Summerbell of Bassano.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Nesbitt, and daughter of Brooks spent the week-end visiting at the home of Mrs. Nesbitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Riley and Mrs. Hopkins and Alina were Glenora visitors on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown of Glen were Bassano visitors on Monday evening to attend the organization meeting of the Red Cross Society.

Mr. R. Gougeon, who has been employed on the C.P.R. as Cook for the past few months, will resume his duties in the local hospital on Friday morning.

CHICKEN SUPPER
Announcement is made that the date set for the Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian Church Annual Chicken supper is Thursday, October 26th. Keep the date in mind.

HARVEST HELD UP
Harvesting is again held up due to inclement weather in the district this week. For the past week or two, only a couple of days threatening at a time has been permissible, before showers forced operations to cease. Snow was reported falling on the grounds this morning in the Hesser District, and north of Bassano.

It is reported that threshing is nearly completed to the west of Bassano, although several farmers will have large areas to cover. In the irrigation district, threshing is in progress, although not quite in full swing as yet.

Temperatures throughout the district have dropped in the past week, but no frost has been reported.

THE RADIO TODAY

"France is moving 5,000 men to the Marston Line" announced a voice from the portable radio that has been a constant companion for the last few days. Then the voice continued: "And now we have real news for you. The best car sales are to be found in . . . Chicago Tribune."

OVERSEAS DRAFT TO BE RECRUITED FROM A.C.M.F.

It was announced today from Ottawa that a regiment for overseas duty will be recruited from the ranks of the R.C.M.P., recruiting to commence immediately. Previous to this announcement, members of the force were not allowed by law to gain leave of absence that they might serve in the army.

(Continued from page 1) HUNTING SEASON OPENS

Our little lakes and sloughs which enable the mother duck to conduct her fledglings to water immediately after the hatch, thereby providing the young ducks, and geese, with a reasonable amount of protection from the numerous enemies of this type of fowl, when they are competing by lack of water, to rear their young on the open field.

This particular district has always been reputed as one of the best hunting grounds in the southern part of the province. Annually, numerous hunters from various parts of the province and from numerous states of the Union to the South, come to this district where they have always been assured of ample game. Not only do outside hunters relish the sport provided, but local nimrod experts always find time to participate in the national pastime.

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